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Chief County Detective, Middlesex County.

TESTIFIED (Page 320, et seq.):

Entered case Monday afternoon September 18, 1922, and first saw Mrs. Hall September 23 (320).

The dyed scarf and coat identified by David were brought to him from the Hall home, Miss Peters giving information that they had been dyed (321).

Received garments before September 23 (322).

On being questioned Mrs. Hall said she had sent a coat of a tan color to Philadelphia for dyeing, also the scarf (323-4).

About two weeks after bodies were found David and Totten searched Dr. Hall's desk at his home. Mrs. Hall at that time asked if Totten wanted Dr. Hall's private papers and then produced a tin box from the bed room used by both Halls (325).

David received all exhibits from Totten. Probably had them until Mott took charge (325,326).

David enumerated certain exhibits, including cuff buttons, etc. (326-327).

On Wednesday, September 20, David ascertained there had been no autopsy and Stricker told Beekman there should be one (328).

Testimony about throat cutting, including doctor's conver-